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Clean-up is creating more health hazards

Editor:

I'd like to know whose bright idea it was to allow the Girls Scouts sweep the sidewalks in our asbestos-contaminated town?

I understand the Chamber of Commerce is responsible for organizing this task, but one has to

wonder: Was it a show to use the Girl Scouts to create dust in order to show there's no danger of exposure to asbestos, and that good ol' Libby is safe and clean?

Did any of you who organized this good deed by the Girl Scouts ever consider the threat or possibil-

ity of exposure to asbestos from the dust created when sweeping?

I can assure you, there was exposure to asbestos in the dust created and those Girls Scouts were exposed to asbestos.

I would like the EPA to test the air, dust on Main Street [sic] and

when proven I am right, inform the public and Girl Scouts not to sweep the sidewalks or do anything that would create dust exposure.

Sincerely and still breathing,

Michael Crill, Libby